By Telegraph.

Latest from Europe.

FARTHER POINT, October 23.—The steam-ship Hibernian, from Liverpool via Lon-donderry, has arrived, with dates to the 13th instant.

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Sales of cotton for the week 112,000 bales, including 66,000 to speculators. The market opened with an upward tendency, but suddenly became flat. It closed with an advance of ½@id. Middling Orleans, 24d.

3f. Government five-twenties are quoted at 63½@59. Sales of cotton, on Friday, the 12th, 29,800 bales. Middling Orleans, 24½. Breadstuffs steady. Provisions steady.

Loxpon, October 13.—Consols 88½@881. The bullion in the Bank of England has decreased £457,009.

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News Itoms.

Washington, October 22.—Alexander H. Stephens left to-day for his home in

Georgia.

The Wirz trial ended to-day. The findings of the court will not immediately trans-

New York, October 22.—To-morrow morning, the Republican Government of Mexico will open an agency here, and place on the market a loan of \$33,000,000; interest contains a semi-appeally in gold. It is said

on the market a loan of \$30,000,000; interest payable semi-annually in gold. It is said that large sums have already been pledged.

New Onleans, October 21.—Col. Kirly, a prominent citizen of Texas, states that Kirly Smith was killed recently by his employees, at Hampstead. Several merchants of Houston are projecting a cotton factory.

LOUISVILLE, October 25.—President Johnson has approved of the action of Gen. Thomas relating to Gen. Paimer. The Secretary of War had approved of Palmer's action in regard to granting passes to colored persons.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF CHARLESTON, OCTOBER 23.

ARRIVED YESTERLAY.
Steamship Moneka, Marshman, New York.
Schr. Susanna, —, Richmond, Va.
Steamer Lizzie Baker, Laftosse, N. York.

COMMERCIAL.

The Herald, of Thursday, the 19th, says follows:
The gold market was dependent on the 18th, as

The gold market was firm, the opening price being 146 and the closing one 146?. Loans were in most cases made flat. The steamer Persia took out \$100,000 in gold and the Edinburgh \$55,000.

The Commercial Advertiser, of the 19th, reports.

The Commercial Adventiser, of the keth, reports:

Gold is firmer under the advices by the Scotia, and in some quarters it is apprehended there must be an early considerable demand for export.

LATEST—EVENING.

There has been less pressure for money this afternoon; borrowers have been readily accommodated at 7 p. result.

Stocks were less inovan, at the second board; the rairroad list lost the advancemade this morning. Governments are steady, except Seven-thirties, which are lower.

Legislature South Carolina.

Wednesday, October 25, 1865.

SENATE.

At 12 Meridian, the members elect of the Senate assembled in the College Chapel. On notion of Hon. G. W. Williams, Senator elect from York, the Hon. F. J. Moses, Senator elect from Sunter, was called to the Chair, and the ordinance providing for the meeting of the Legislature was read. The Election Districts were then called, and the following Senators appeared at the Cerk's desk, presented their credentials, the oaths were administered and they took their seats: Abbeville—Thomas Thomson; Anderson—John Wilson; Berkeley—W. Pinckney Shingler; Chester—James Hemphill: Charleston—Henry Buist: Colleton—Carlos Tracy; Edgefield—G. D. Tillman; Fairfield—Jains Bratton; Greenville—G. F. Townes; Laurens—C. P. Sullivan; Lexington—Lenauel Boozer; Newberry—J. H. Williams; Pickens—W. S. Grisham; Sonatanburg—J. Winsmith; Sumier—F. J. Moses; Union—Probert Beaty; Williams; Destandency Jas. McCattchen; York—G. W. Williams; Lershaw—J. E. Kershaw.

A quorum being present, the Senate proceeded to a belief for President of the

burg—J. Winsmith; Sumder—F. J. Moses; Union—Robert Beaty; Williams; Kershaw.—A quorum being present, the Senate proceeded to a bailet for President of the Senate, to serve until the qualification of the Lieutenant-Governor elect. The election was conducted rive voce, pursuant to the recent amendment of the Constitution, and Hon. F. J. Moses was declared duly elecaed, whereupon the President addressed the Senate as follow:

Gentlemen of the honor you have just conferred upon me. I attribute your choice more to the fact of my long service on this floor than to any fitness which I have for the place. In this body, however, constituted of Carolina gentlemen, the crarse of debate, even on exciting questions, has always been distinguished by such politeness and courtesy, that there is seldom an occasion for the interposition of the Chair. Senators, you have assembled, as it were, to establish a new Government. The Constitution of 1700 has been substituted by that of 1865, and by its provision a social and hereditary institution has been abolished. The labor which contributed so largely to the capital of the country, if not altogether gone, is to exist in a new shape, and we enter as an experiment, if depressed by present overlearing circumstances, still full of hope for the future. On many a fearful battle-field, Southern valor and gallantry, subjected to the most trying test, has been proudly exhibited, and that same spirit of self-dependence, in a new and changed field of operation, can supply the necessary energy and industry to conquer alt, obstacles, and make its once more a baopy and prosperons people.

You have, each of you assumed, under oath, the obligation 'to protect, preserve and changed field of operation, can supply the necessary energy and industry to conquer alt, obstacles, and make its once more a baopy and prosperons people.

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Reading Clerk; J. H. Boatwright, Messenger, C. A. Gray, Dcor-Reeper.
On motion, the House adjourned, to meet te-morrow at 12 o'clock.

Council Proceedings. COUNCIL CHAMBER, GOLUMBIA, October 24, 1865.

Present-His Honor the Mayor; Aldermen Blakely, Fisher, Glaze, Guignard, Harris, Hope, Leaphart, Geiger, Stork, Waring and Wells.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The following accounts were reported favorably and ordered to be paid: Palmetto Lodge, rent of school honse; O. Z. Bates, sundries; Mrs. Monteith, salary.

The following resolution was offered and

Resolved. That the Committee on Streets be ordered to take possession of the property known as the "Fair Grounds" and all movable articles thereon, and hold the same subject to the authority of the city.

The Council were notified that, in consequence of one of the recently elected policement declining to serve a vacque verified.

quence of one of the recently elected police-men declining to serve, a vacancy existed in that department, and an election to fill saidsneancy was ordered to take place at next meeting of Council. On motion, the Council adjourned. F. H. ELWORE, City Clerk.

The New York papers of the 18th inst. say that the report of the Liverpool cotton market, received by the inst. say that the report of the Liverpool cotton market, received by the Nova Scotian, though strictly correct in its details, was, as published yesterday, hable to misconstruction. While the price of New Orleans middling was quoted at 2414 d., a quarter of a penny quoted at 2414 d., lower than the price on the 30th ult., as reported by the China, an advance of 2d.@2.ad. was noted in American cotton. This is explained by the fact that the report was the regular weekly one from the brokers' circular, and gave the advance to Thursday night as compared with the previous Thursday The advance on Friday and Saturday, the 29th and 30th ult., reported in the China's news last week, is the same as is reported by the Nova Scotian. There was, however, an advance of 1gd. on Friday, the 6th, over the quotations of the previous day, bringing New Orleans middling up to

A new invention has been brought out in England, called the "Lockjaw cotton gin," and it is said to produce

COLUMBIA, October 25, 1865. To the Editor of the Phænix-Sin: You will please withdraw from your paper the announcement of my name for a Congresssional candidacy in the Third District. I really desire no office whatever, as my private affairs will, for some time to come, need most of my attention. Moreover, at the earnest request of my life-long friends, I have accepted a seat in the State Senate. which, while it will not seriously interfere with business connections, will, at the same time, afford me an opportunity to render what feeble aid I can in the grateful task of binding up the ghastly wounds of our bleeding mother.

For these reasons, and others which might be given, I am compelled to decline the nomination for Congress. I cannot, however, permit the occasion to pass without tendering my thorough acknowledgments to the numerous friends in various parts of the Congressional District, who have so cordially solicited me to stand for the office. Respectfully,

G. D. TILLMAN. Oct 25 1

Six Members

OF the Legislature can be accommodated at Mad. SOSNOWSKI'S residence, rear of Male Academy. Oct 26 2*

OTARD BRANDY & PORT WINE. ONE-HALF Pipe Pure Otard BRANDY.
One Cask London Dock PORT WINE.
5 Barrels Keller's Kentucky Whiskey, sclected aul guaranteed to be pure for Medicinal use. The above will be found very different from the medicated stuff put up by New York Quacks, and sold as Cognac and Bourbon. For sale low by
Oct 26 †3 E. & G. D. HOPE.

FOR SALE

A PHETON, or OPEN CARRIAGE, in good running order. Apply to Dr. A. N. TALLEY, Corner of Gervais and Pickens streets.

Acacia Lodge.

A regular communication of this Lodge will be held THIS AFTER-NOON, at 4 o'clock, in the Hallin the College Campus. By order of the W. M.

E. O. WITHINGTON, Secretary,

S CHESTS Hyson, Young Hyson, Imperial, Oolong and Japan TEAS. Among them several of the same brands and grades of fine Green and Black Teas formerly sold with so much satisfaction to the consumer. In 1, 1 and 1 lb. caddies.

1 package Fulton Market BACON STRIES.
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3 tierces NEW YORK HAMS. Oct 26 3 C. H. BALDWIN.

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Dress Goods. OPENED THIS DAY.

CASE WOOL DELAINES, solid colors,

1 "FIGURED CLEASE PRINTS,
MERINO VESTS, HOSIFRY, HOODS,
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CAPS, Ac., which will be sold at REDUCED
PRICE by J. G. GIBBES,
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NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS! ! MRS. S. A. SMITH

WILL open THIS DAY an elegant stock of MILLINE-BY, consisting of:
BONNETS, trimmed and untimmed; fine French FLOW-ERS, assorted FEATHERS, Felt HATS, Beavers, Nellie Grant flats, Burterlly, Rocky Point, Saratoga, Victoria and Derby Hats, Jet and Steel Ornaments, Curls, Bonnet Ribbons, &c., which she invites the ladies to call and examine, at her residence on Taylor street, one door from Assembly.

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Bulich, Land, Platin.

50 BBLS, extra quality Family FLGUR. 5 kegs LEAF LAND. 5 kegs BUTTER. For sale by SHELTON, CALVO & WALSH,

Enli street, one square West of Oct 26, Nickerson's Hetel.

HANS, CHEESE, &C.

5 CASKS New York City-cured HAMS, BACON. boxys L English DAIR" CHEESE. Just received and for sale by
SHELTON, CALVO & WALSH,
Sull street, one square West of
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Auction Sales.

Paraiture, Glass and Crockerypoare, &c.

BY JAMES G. GIBBES. C. F. HARRISON, AUCTIONEER. C. F. HARRISON, AUCTIONEER.

WILL be sold, at the Auction Roomsabove
James G. Gibbes' store, THIS DAY,
(Thursday,) 26th ibst., at 10 o'clock,
The following ARTICLES, viz:
12 Cane-seat Chairs.
Cut Glass Depanters, Hock Glasses.
Dishes, Pitchers and Basins.
Knives and Forks.
Ready-made Clothing, Shawls.
Sett Harross, Saddle and Bridle and other
articles.
ALSO.

Sett Harness, Saddle and Brille and other articles.

Also,
1 fine Saddle Horse.
Fine Gold Wetch.
Pearl and Gold Ear-rings.
Valuable Medical Works, &c.

At the same time and place, will be sold,
The following lot of choice and fresh
GROCERIES, viz:
5 kegs extra sweet Goslen Butter,
5 kegs extra fine Leaf Land.
1 lind, prime Bacon.
15 bexes very choice Chesse.
Unlimited articles received until 9 o'clock
on day of sale.

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By Durbec & Walter.

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WILL be sold, at their store, on Assembly street, on FRIDAY, the 27th inst., at 9½ o'clock.

The following choice selection of GOODS, just from the North:
25 cases Boarbon Whiskey.

Men's, Ladies' and Children's Hose and Half Hose.
3 cases Sardines.

Boxes Adamantine and Tallow Candles.
6 boxes Family Soap, Mackerel.
Cases Men's Shoes, Crackers.
Boxes Spices, cases of Olive Oil.
Chesta Green Tea, boxes Window Glass.
Bales Smoking Tobacco.
Pocket Knives, &c.
The trade are invited to attend, as chances for bargains will be offered.

ALSO,

A lot of Furniture.

Unlimited articles will be received up to hour of sale.

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CRACKERS.

URACKERS. 25 BOXES FARINA CRACKERS, 5 bbls. BUTTER CRACKERS, 5 bbls. Fancy TRENTON CRACKERS, Just opened and for sale by SHELTON, CALVO & WALSH, Bull street, one square West of Nickerson's Hetel.

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Eurning of the Museum. LEFTER FROM MR. BARNUM.

Masses, Hardino & Co.—General Misses, Hardino & Co.—General Misseum has proved a scrious less to myself and the public, I am bappy to verify the old adage, thus "It's an ill wind that blows nobody good," and, consequently, congratulate you that your well known safes have again demonstrated their superior fire-proof qualities in an ordeal of unusual as verify.

The safe you made for the some time Nuw York, July 14, 1805, carno & Co.—Generalemen

usual severity.

The same you made for me some time ago was in the office of the Museum, on the second floor, back part of the building, and in the hottest of the fire.

After Iwenty-four hours of trial, it was found among the debris, and on opening it this day-has yielded up its contents in very good order—books, papers, policies of insurance, bank bolls, all in condition for insuccliate use, and a mobile commentary on the trustworthiness of Herring's Fire-Proof Safe. Yours traly.

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